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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			ATTORNEY DOCKET <b>2207/9862</b>		
SERIAL NUMBER <b>09/641,708</b>		FILING DATE <b>August 21, 2000</b>		EXAMINER <b>Not assigned</b>	
				ART UNIT <b>2782</b>	
INVENTION TITLE <b>METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREVENTING STARVATION IN A MULTI-NODE ARCHITECTURE</b>			APPLICANT <b>KHARE et al</b>		
<p>Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231</p> <p>Transmitted herewith is:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application</li> <li>2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application</li> <li>3. Declarations</li> <li>4. Assignment and Assignment transmittal</li> <li>5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:</li> </ol>					
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS		-		0	78.00
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<p>The Commissioner is authorized to charge the surcharge fee of <b>\$130.00</b> and the Assignment fee of <b>\$40.00</b> to the deposit account of <b>Kenyon &amp; Kenyon</b>, Deposit Account Number <b>11-0600</b>.</p> <p>The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge for underpayment, or credit for overpayment, Kenyon &amp; Kenyon's <b>Deposit Account No. 11-0600</b> for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16.</li> <li>b. Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.</li> </ol> <p>A duplicate of this sheet is attached.</p>					
<p>Date: <i>Nov. 21, 2000</i></p>			<p><i>Kenneth R. Corsello</i> Kenneth R. Corsello (Registration No. 38,115)</p>		
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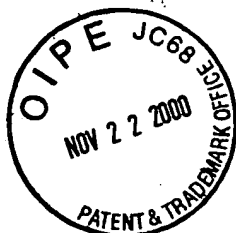


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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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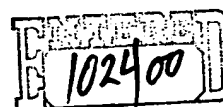
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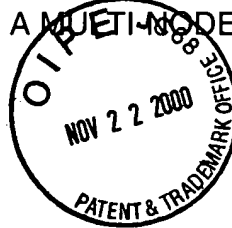
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In re application of: KHARE et al  
Application No.: 09/641,708  
Filed: August 21, 2000  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREVENTING  
STARVATION IN A MULTI-MODE ARCHITECTURE  
Examiner: Not assigned  
Group Art: 2782



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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed October 20, 2000, enclosed herewith are the following:

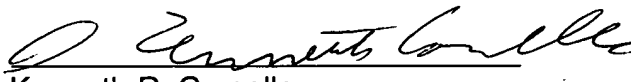
- (1) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed October 20, 2000 and
- (2) Copy of Declarations executed by inventors

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$130.00 required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment arising from this communication to that same account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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